

LEFTOVERS

combining KNOWABLE, POINTING VECTOR, DAGON, SAGANA, PILLYCOCK, AUERHAHN, and T^{4V}.

#1

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TELL YOU WHAT I'M GONNA DO...

Most of the people who get this 'zine will be greatly surprised to be receiving anything from the Boardmans. After all, the last issue of POINTING VECTOR was dated August 1965, and the last KNOWABLE came out in May 1966. Most subsequent publishing activity around here has been taken up with postal Diplomacy 'zines - to quite a number, as you can see from the OPERATION AGITATION colophon down there.

This publishing hiatus has left several obligations unsatisfied. For one thing, several people have paid subscriptions about which they may be wondering. For another, there are numerous articles and letters in our files, whose authors were promised publication. This, therefore, is what we are going to do:

1. POINTING VECTOR and KNOWABLE are terminated with the already published last issues, #25 and #10 respectively. This is
2. Articles and letters intended for either will be published, subject to the usual editorial judgment, in LEFTOVERS #2. This will happen sometime before the next increase in postal rates on 7 January 1968. O At P Great E Intervals R This
3. Subscribers to either POINTING VECTOR or KNOWABLE will get LEFTOVERS #1 at no charge. LEFTOVERS #2 will count as an issue of the 'zine on their subscription. A Appear T To I Inflame O Optic N Nerves
4. A new fanzine, chiefly oriented to science-fiction and fantasy, will be published beginning in 1968. Its name has not yet been selected. # 346
5. All subscriptions to POINTING VECTOR or to KNOWABLE will be transferred to this new 'zine. Or, if you wish, you may get your subscription transferred to one of several other fanzines, or refunded. See the attached form for information.

Since it has been about 1½ years since we last mailed out a genzine, our address filee are rather out of date. These are being revised from recent issues of Science-Fiction Weekly and the WSFA Bulletin, but we obviously can't get everyone. Therefore, LEFTOVERS #1 will go out to everyone on the mailing list of any Boardman publication, at the last address available to us. It will be mailed by first-class mail, so that it can be forwarded if necessary.

If your address has changed from the one on the addressee label, please fill out the enclosed form with your correct address and return it to us. Only those people of whose addresses we are certain will receive LEFTOVERS #2 and subsequent publications. They will all go out by 3rd-class mail, and if they are undeliverable it costs us money. Please note that we must have your ZIP code for third-class mailing, and send it to us if we do not already have it.

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Newcomers to science-fiction fandom may be interested in SO YOU WANT TO BE A FAN?, which was published in June 1966. Some of the information is dated, but the rest will come in handy to fans just getting oriented. Send a stamped, self-addressed legal length envelope for your copy.

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The attached issue of PILLYCOCK states an editorial policy which will be followed in all OPERATION AGITATION publications. Those of you who know members of the Cult, including such open racists as Fred Lerner and Men Pelz, will not be surprised to learn that this policy statement led to my immediate expulsion from that amateur preee association. Future attempts to dictate the contents of OPERATION AGITATION publications will be rejected with equal firmness. This publication is not edited under the supervision of Bangs Leslie Tapscott.

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PRESIDENTIAL POLL RESULTS

Ballots for the First 1968 Presidential Preference Poll were distributed at the 1967 World Science-Fiction Convention, mailed out with GRAUSTARK and a recent TAPS mailing, and distributed at fan meetings in New York City. Fifty people sent in ballots, not including an enthusiastic Canadian who was disqualified. Of these, 26 were Democrats and 23, Republicans, with one independent.

The first part of the poll gave members of each party a chance to nominate candidates for President and Vice-President of their party. In the second part, three different trial heats were run, one with each of the three most likely Republican nominees. Benjamin Spock and George Wallace, who will be independent candidates in 1968, were also included on these trial heats. The third part of the poll asked New York voters about the proposed new constitution for the state, which will be placed before the electorate next month. The fourth part asked whether the respondent had been counted in the last three census. (Yes, that is the correct Latin plural.)

Obviously facetious votes for people like Timothy Leary, Billy Jo McAllister, or Ho Chih Minh were counted as "none". Write-in votes are indicated by "(w)" save for Republican vice-presidential nominees, all of which were write-in.

IA. Democratic Presidential Nomination

Robert F. Kennedy	14
Lyndon B. Johnson	5
George Wallace	1
Joseph Clark (w)	1
John Conyers (w)	1
Hubert H. Humphrey (w)	1
Wayne Morse (w)	1
none	2

Republican Presidential Nomination

Ronald Reagan	5
Richard Nixon	4
Nelson A. Rockefeller	4
George Romney	4
Barry M. Goldwater	2
Charles Percy	2
Jacob K. Javits (w)	1
Robert F. Kennedy (w)	1

IB. Democratic Vice-Presidential Nomination

William Fulbright	11
Hubert H. Humphrey	5
Robert F. Kennedy	2
Julian Bond (w)	1
"Kirk" (w) ((Claude or Russell?))	1
Wayne Morse (w)	1
Joseph Tydings (w)	1
none	4

Republican Vice-Presidential Nomination

Richard Nixon	3
Charles Percy	3
2 each - Edward Brooke, Jacob K. Javits, Nelson A. Rockefeller, and Ronald Reagan.	
1 each - Hiram Fong, Barry M. Goldwater, Mark Hatfield, John Lindsay, and James Rhodes	
none	4

II. Presidential Trial Heats (Votes analyzed by voter's party.)

	Dem.	Rep.	total		Dem.	Rep.	total		Dem.	Rep.	total
Johnson	7	3	10	Johnson	7	4	11	Johnneon	6	3	9
Nixon	1	18	20	Reagan	3	13	16	Romney	4	15	20
Spock	11	0	11	Spock	11	1	13	Spock	10	0	10
Wallace	1	0	1	wallace	0	1	1	Wallace	1	3	4
Humphrey(w)	1	0	1	Humphrey(w)	1	0	1	Humphrey(w)	1	0	1
Kennedy (w)	2	0	2	Kennsyd (w)	1	0	1	Kennedy (w)	2	0	2
Lindsay (w)	1	0	1	Lindsay (w)	1	0	1	Lindsay (w)	1	0	1
Romney (w)	0	1	1	Romney (w)	0	2	2	none	1	2	3
none	2	1	3	none	2	2	4				

New York voters turned down the new constitution by the narrow margin of 9-8, with 8 undecided. Republicans favored it 4-3, while Democrats disapproved it 6-4.

In the 1960 census, 31 respondents were counted and 10 were not. Nine didn't know. Fuller details on this part of the poll will appear in LEFTOVERS #2.